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DATE: June 21, 2013

TO: All Part D Plan Sponsors

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SUBJECT: Part D Summary 2012 DIR Report and Detailed 2012 DIR Report – Submission Reminder

This memorandum serves as a reminder that the deadline for submitting the Summary 2012 DIR Report and the Detailed 2012 DIR Report is **11:59 PM PT on Friday, July 5, 2013**. It is highly recommended that if you have not submitted the Summary 2012 DIR Report and Detailed 2012 DIR Report, you do so immediately to ensure a successful submission by the deadline. Please refer to the June 7, 2013 HPMS memorandum titled “Final Medicare Part D DIR Reporting Requirements for 2012” for the data submission instructions.

Part D sponsors must prepare and submit the Summary 2012 DIR Report to CMS even if they have no DIR to report for the contract year. Sponsors must also prepare and submit the Detailed 2012 DIR Report, with the exception of PACE organizations that report “\$0” in all DIR categories in the Summary 2012 DIR Report. Failure to successfully submit the DIR data by the deadline may result in compliance actions.

For technical assistance, sponsors can contact the HPMS Help Desk at either 1-800-220-2028 or hpms@cms.hhs.gov. For other questions regarding the 2012 submission of Detailed and Summary DIR data, sponsors can e-mail Strategic at PartDPaymentReview@strategichs.com.